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REPLY/AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL	Attorney Docket No.	1450.1019	
	Application Number	10/098,551	
	Filing Date	March 18, 2002	
	First Named Inventor	Sho MATSUMOTO	
	Group Art Unit	2825	
AMOUNT ENCLOSED	110.00	Examiner Name	Thuan V. Do

FEE CALCULATION (fees effective 10/01/03)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Rate	Calculations
TOTAL CLAIMS	22	- 22 =	0	X \$ 18.00 =	\$ 0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	8	- 8 =	0	X \$ 86.00 =	0.00

Since an Official Action set an original due date of August 6, 2004, petition is hereby made for an extension to cover the date this reply is filed for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$110); 2 months (\$420); 3 months (\$950); 4 months (\$1,480); 5 months (\$2,010)):

If Notice of Appeal is enclosed, add (\$330.00)

If Statutory Disclaimer under Rule 20(d) is enclosed, add fee (\$110.00)

Information Disclosure Statement (Rule 1.17(p)) (\$180.00)

Total of above Calculations = \$ 110.00

Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (37 CFR 1.9, 1.27 & 1.28)

TOTAL FEES DUE = \$ 110.00

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- ☒ The Commissioner is also authorized to credit any overpayments or charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 CFR 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application, including any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 USC § 120 (e.g., continuations/divisionals/CIPs under 37 CFR 1.53(b) and/or continuations/divisionals/CPAs under 37 CFR 1.53(d)) to maintain pendency hereof or of any such related application.

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In re Patent Application of:

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For: DESIGN SYSTEM OF INTEGRATED CIRCUIT AND ITS DESIGN
METHOD AND PROGRAM

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed May 6, 2004, having a shortened period for response set to expire on August 6, 2004. A petition and fee for a one-month Extension of Time is enclosed, thereby extending the response period to September 7, 2004 (September 6, 2004 being a holiday).

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

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